

Graduate doctors working in Taluk Hospitals and L. F. Dispensaries in the State,

175 SRI M. ABDUL LATHEEF (Kolar).—Will the Minister for Health and Family Welfare be pleased to state,—

(a) no. of Post-Graduate doctors working at present in Taluk Headquarters Hospitals and L.F. Dispensaries (Districtwise figures my please be furnished);

(b) no. of Graduate doctors working at present in District Headquarters Hospitals;

(c) the number of doctors who have been trained at the Government cost in more than one field of specialisation during the last 3 years (A list indicating qualifications of such doctors may be placed on the table of the House);

(d) whether the training is given in more than one field, if so, the reasons for the same?

SRI A. K. ABDUL SAMAD.—(Minister for Health and Family Welfare)—

(a) 185 (Annexure-I is appended)

(b) 232 (Annexure-I is appended).

(c) Nil

(d) No

ANNEXURE I

Statement showing the Details of Number of Post-Graduate and Graduate Doctors Working at present in Taluk Headquarters Hospitals and L. F. Dispensaries etc.

District	1	No. of P.G.'s working in Taluk Headquarters Hospitals	2	No. of P.G.'s working in L.F. Dispensaries	3	No. of P.G.'s working in Taluk Headquarters Hospitals & L.F. Dispensaries	4	Graduate doctors working in Major and District Headquarters Hospitals	5
Bangalore	...	5	5	10	55				
Belgaum	...	3	2	5	18				
Bijapur	...	6	4	10	3				
Bellary	...	6	5	11	14				
Bidar	...	2	...	2	5				
Chitradurga	...	4	6	10	14				
Chickmagalur	...	9	4	13	3				
Dharwar	...	9	7	16	15				
Dhakshina Kannada	...	9	6	15	12				
Gulbarga	...	5	1	6	9				
Hassan	...	11	3	14	6				
Kolar	...	6	2	8	17				
Kodagu	...	3	1	4	11				
Mysore	...	9	6	15	20				
Mandya	...	6	5	11	5				
Raichur	...	5	8	13	4				
Shimoga	...	8	3	11	12				
Tumkur	...	2	4	6	6				
Uttara Kannada	—	3	2	5	3				
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SRI M. ABDUL LATHEEF.—Sir, from the table it is seen that posting of Doctors is done in an haphazard and random manner without any discretion for their qualifications. Is it the policy of the Government

SRI A.K. ABDUL SAMAD.—The policy of the Government is to post specialists in each category to the District hospitals and accordingly we have posted. If there is any discrimination we shall enquire into it.

SRI M. ABDUL LATHEEF.—Sir, in L.F. Dispensaries and in very small hospitals no special facilities by way of equipments and other things, are made available. The chart indicates that 74 doctors are working in L.F. dispensaries and 232 graduate doctors are working in major hospitals where such facilities are available. If that is the policy of the Government these figures indicate the same view. Which is correct?

SRI A.K. ABDUL SAMAD.—Formerly, in some of the Taluk Headquarters and in some local dispensaries, some post graduates were posted. That must be the reason.

SRI M. ABDUL LATHEEF.—Will the Government atleast now onwards make it a policy to post post graduate doctors to major hospitals and Graduate doctors to smaller hospitals in view of the cost that is involved in training them. Their experience is being wasted in these L.F. dispensaries. The post graduate doctors may kindly be transferred to major hospitals and in their places some graduate doctors may be posted. Will the Government take steps in this regard?

SRI A.K. ABDUL SAMAD.—We will consider it.

Smuggling cases against proprietor of Krishnarajendra Mills, Mysore.

183 SRI H. GANGADHARAN (Krishnaraja).—Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state,—

- (a) whether any smuggling cases are pending against the proprietor of Sri Krishnarajendra Mills, Mysore (against Kegriwala);
- (b) if so, in which Courts in the State they are pending;
- (c) what are the allegations in the each case;
- (d) whether there was any recommendation for withdrawal of the said cases?

SRI R. GUNDU RAO (Chief Minister)

(a) No

(b) (c) and (d) Does not arise, in view of reply as (a) above,